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AMENDMENT

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated February 7, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On Page 6, please replace the paragraph starting on line 2 with the following:

The basic construction of an exemplary embodiment of a drive according to the invention is shown in Fig. 1. An electric motor 1 drives the ring gear of an epicyclic gear unit 2, which is provided as a reducing fixed stage. The electric motor may be of a type operable to allow brief operation close to a motor cut-off output. The output of epicyclic gear unit 2 is effected via its revolving web, which, with clutch 5 closed and at the same time clutch 6 open, directly drives the